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(1) TITLE OF GAO JOB IS MISLEADING FROM STANDPOINT OF
FOREIGN VISITS. ONE MAJOR FACTOR AFFECTING DEVELOPMENT
OF NON-BAUXITE ALUMINA IS CONTINUED AVAILABILITY OF
FORIEGN BAUXITE SOURCES, ITS PRICING, ENERGY IMPLICATIONS
AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS IMPLICATIONS.

(2) ALL GAO LATIN AMERICA VISITS WILL FOCUS ON BAUXITE
AVAILABILITY AND OTHER MATTERS BECAUSE THEY WILL ULTIMATELY
WEIGH HEAVILY ON DECISIONS TO DEVELOP OR NOT DEVELOP U.S.
NON-BAUXITE SOURCES.JORDEN

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